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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

ROBERTO RAMON VERA,
 Plaintiff,

v.

DAVID ROARK, Director, USCIS Texas
 Service Center; GERARD HEINAUER,
 Director, USCIS Nebraska Service Center;
 JONATHAN SCHARFEN, Acting Director,
 USCIS; U.S. Citizenship and Immigration
 Services; MICHAEL CHERTOFF, Secretary,
 Department of Homeland Security; ROBERT S.
 MUELLER, Director, Federal Bureau of
 Investigations; MICHAEL B. MUKASEY,
 U.S. Attorney General,
 Defendants.

No. C 08-5164 SI

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND TIME
 WITHIN WHICH THE DEFENDANTS
 MUST FILE AN ANSWER**

Plaintiff, by and through his attorney of record, and Defendants, by and through their attorneys of record, hereby stipulate, subject to the approval of the Court, to a 60-day extension of time within which the Defendants must serve its answer in the above-entitled action. The parties may be able to resolve this matter without further litigation and, therefore, Defendants will file their answer on or before March 23, 2009. See General Order 61.

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1 Dated: December 30, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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3 United States Attorney

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5 /s/
6 ILA C. DEISS¹
7 Assistant United States Attorney
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9 Dated: December 30, 2008

10 /s/
11 ROBERT B. JOBE
12 Attorney for Plaintiff

13 **ORDER**

14 Pursuant to stipulation, IT IS SO ORDERED.

15 Date:

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17 SUSAN ILLSTON
18 United States District Judge
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27 ¹ I, Ila Deiss, hereby attest that I have on file all holograph signatures for any signatures
28 indicated by a "conformed" signature (/S/) within this efiled document.